GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

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POLICE STATIONS IN FOREST AREAS
V. SAROJA

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any proposal for setting up of police stations in forest areas has been received by the Government;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the policy to be adopted by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS(SHRI T.R.BAALU)

(a),(b)&(c): Some State Governments are contemplating reorganisingforest protection staff into viable formations. The details in this regard have not been finalised. The Central Government supports this initiative of State Government.